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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of: UEDA et al.

Group Art Unit: (to be assigned)

Application No.: (to be assigned)

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For: OPTICAL GLASS FOR POLARIZING  
OPTICAL SYSTEM, PRODUCTION  
PROCESS THEREFOR AND  
POLARIZING BEAM SPLITTER

New York, NY

October 26, 2001

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to the examination of the subject application, please enter the  
following amendments and remarks:

**In The Specification:**

Page 1, lines 5-7, please replace the paragraph with the following:

--This is a division of application no. 09/368,892 filed August 5, 1999,  
now pending.--

**In The Claims:**

Please cancel claims 1 to 3.